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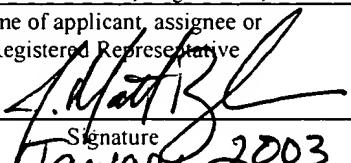
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Case No. 10546-6

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

John W. Wong

Serial No: 09/424,431

Examiner: M.G. Mendoza

Filed: March 16, 2000

Group Art Unit: 3761

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS
FOR DELIVERING RADIATION
THERAPY DURING
SUSPENDED VENTILATION

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated September 20, 2002 for a period of one month(s).

Applicant:

claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

is other than small entity

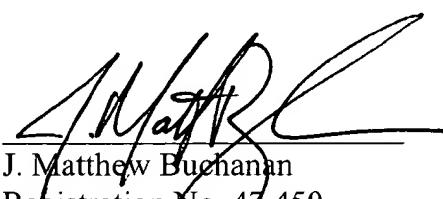
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One Month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two Months	\$410.00	\$205.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Three Months	\$930.00	\$465.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four Months	\$1,450.00	\$725.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Five Months	\$1,970.00	\$985.00

Fee Payment

- Attached is a check for \$55 for the Petition fee.
- Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$_____ for the Petition fee.
- Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: January 21, 2003



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